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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Application Number : 09/768,674
 Filing Date : January 24, 2001
 Inventor(s) : Erlend Olson, et al.
 Title : METHOD AND APPARTUS FOR EFFICIENT MIXED SIGNAL
 PROCESSING IN A DIGITAL AMPLIFIER
 Group Art Unit : 2819
 Examiner Name : Patrick G. Wamsley
 Docket No. : 41289/RJP/B600 Date: September 9, 2002

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

This application is not an application of the kind specified in 37 CFR § 1.114(e).

1. THE STATUS OF THE APPLICATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

a. ☒ Pending (no review proceedings active)

- (1) ☐ An Action was mailed by the Office on _____ as to which no appeal under 37 CFR § 1.191 has been filed and
 _____ a response under 37 CFR § 1.116 was mailed on _____
 _____ via Express Mail
 _____ with certificate of mailing under 37 CFR § 1.8
 _____ that Action was a Final Rejection, the finality of which is to be withdrawn by this Request
 _____ an appeal or civil action under 35 U.S.C. 141, 145 or 146 has been terminated

- (2) ☒ Allowed: the Notice of Allowance was mailed by the Office on March 21, 2002
 _____ the Issue Fee has not been paid
☒ the Issue Fee has been paid and a petition under 37 CFR § 1.313 was granted on or before September 16, 2002

b. ☐ Pending (with review proceeding active)

An appeal under 37 CFR § 1.191 has been filed. Applicant(s) hereby withdraw that appeal and request reopening of the prosecution of the application.

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2. SUBMISSION(S) REQUIRED (check at least one)

a. Previously submitted

- ☐ Consider the amendments/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on ☐
- ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal or Reply Brief previously filed on ☐
- ☐ Other: ☐

b. Enclosed

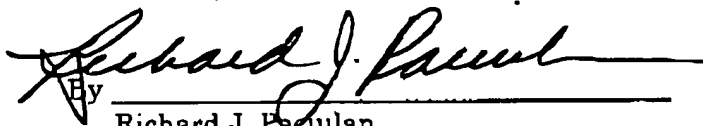
- ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Documents under 37 CFR § 1.48
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☒ Other: Petition to Withdraw from Issue Under 37 CFR 1.313

The Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned promptly following receipt and initial review of the application in light of the Submissions(s) for the conduct of, or the scheduling of, a telephone interview in the application.

Please address all correspondence to **CHRISTIE, PARKER & HALE, LLP, P.O. Box 7068, Pasadena, CA 91109-7068.**

Respectfully submitted,

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
FEE CALCULATION SHEET**

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PART I - BASIC FEE

BASIC FEE	Small Entity \$370.00	Large Entity \$740.00	\$740
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Part II - ADDITIONAL CLAIMS (compared to application before RCE)

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	FEE
Total Claims	7	* 20		x \$9.00	x \$18.00	
Independent Claims	2	** 3		x \$42.00	x \$84.00	
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				\$140.00	\$280.00	
TOTAL CLAIMS FEE						\$0
List Independent Claims: 1, 7						
* IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER OF TOTAL CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IS LESS THAN 20, WRITE "20" IN THIS SPACE. ** IF THE HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID OR IS 3 OR LESS, WRITE "3" IN THIS SPACE.						

3. **FEES** (The RCE fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)

a. Amount (total from Fee Calculation Sheet)

Please charge the Basic Fee amount of \$740 to the Deposit Account noted below.

b. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required for this transaction to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.

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